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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: SUBSTRATE FOR BIOMOLECULE  
MICROARRAY, BIOMOLECULE  
MICROARRAY, DEVICE AND METHOD OF  
PROMOTING INTERACTION AND METHOD  
OF DETECTING INTERACTION

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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit the attached substitute specification to correct errors in the specification filed on May 23, 2006. The previously filed English translation of the specification shows some of the symbols incorrectly due to errors in formatting of symbol characters.

Accordingly, both clean and mark-up copies of the substitute specifications are submitted herewith.

The PTO is requested to make these documents of record in the file of the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Attachments: Substitute Specification (clean and mark-up copies)